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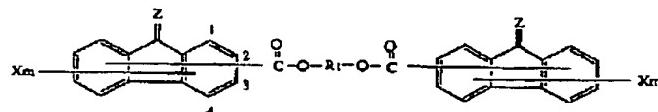
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ABSTRACT : PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To obtain a photoreceptor excellent in electrification property, having high sensitivity and low residual potential, less liable to a change in characteristics even after repeated use and excellent in durability by incorporating a specified fluorene compd. into a photosensitive layer.

SOLUTION: In an electrophotographic photoreceptor obtd. by forming at least a photosensitive layer on an electrically conductive substrate, a fluorene compd. represented by the formula is incorporated into the photosensitive layer. In the formula, Z is O, C(CN)₂ or C(CN)(COOR₂), R₂ is optionally subst. alkyl or optionally subst. aryl, R₁ is optionally subst. alkylene, optionally subst. arylene or an optionally subst. cycloalkylene structure, X is cyano, nitro, halogen or optionally subst. alkyl and (m) is an integer of 0-4.

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